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S E C R E T KHARTOUM 0866

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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1
TAGS: PFOR SU SA EG
SUBJECT: ALLEGED COMMUNICATION BETWEEN USG AND SAG
AMBASSADORS CAIRO ON SUDAN

REF: KHARTOUM 0867

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT ALLEGED FIRST PERSON NOTE, DATED
JUNE 14, 1976, FROM AMBASSADOR EILTS TO SAUDI AMBASSADOR
IN CAIRO RE SUDAN. COMMENT BEING FORWARDED SEPTTEL.

2. QUOTE. EXCELLENCY: AFTER CONSULTATIONS WITH MY GOVERNMENT,
I WOULD LIKE TO CONFIRM TO YOU ITS POSITION REGARDING PRES-
IDENT SADAT'S INTENTIONS TOWARD TO SUDAN.

AS THE STRONGEST WESTERN NATION, THE UNITED STATES
HAS PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAINTAINING STABILITY AND
PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. IN THIS RESPECT, ANY DISTURBANCE
OF THE BALANCE OF FORCES IN THE AREA WOULD BE CONSIDERED
DANGEROUS BY THE UNITED STATES. FROM THE UNITED STATES
POINT OF VIEW PRESIDENT SADAT'S INTENTION TO USE THE SITUATION
OF INSTABILITY IN THE SUDAN TO OBTAIN PREVALENT INFLUENCE
THERE MIGHT HAVE UNPREDICTABLE AFTER EFFECTS.

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AS I HAVE ALREADY HAD THE HONOR TO INFORM YOU, THE
INTERESTS OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES IN THE SUDAN COULD WELL BE
SECURED BY ESTABLISHING A REALLY DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT
COMPOSED OF INFLUENTIAL PERSONALITIES ENJOYING OUR CONF-
IDENCE.

IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES THE UNITED STATES HAS A VITAL
NEED FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE PROBLEM SET OUT ABOVE,

WHICH WE HOPE TO OBTAIN FROM YOUR GOVERNMENT.

I HOPE THIS EXPLANATION OF MY GOVERNMENT'S MOTIVES
WILL PROVE USEFUL TO YOU.

SINCERELY,

HERMANN FREDERICK EILTS

AMERICAN AMBASSADOR

HIS EXCELLENCY, FUAD A. NAZIR, AMBASSADOR OF SAUDI ARABIA,
CAIRO. UNQUOTE.

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